



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Barnstable , Massachusetts [25001]**

Barnstable is one of 14 counties in Massachusetts. It is part of the [Barnstable Town, MA \(MSA\)](#). Its 2000 population of 223,228 ranked 9th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Barnstable had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$35,748. This PCPI ranked 6th in the state and was 95 percent of the state average, \$37,753, and 120 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 3.7 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 10.3 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Barnstable was \$23,135 and ranked 6th in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.1 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Barnstable had a total personal income (TPI) of \$7,979,857\*. This TPI ranked 9th in the state and accounted for 3.3 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Barnstable was \$4,333,912\* and ranked 9th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 5.7 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 11.1 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 6.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.6 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Barnstable. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 57.0 percent of TPI (compared with 55.0 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 27.8 percent (compared with 29.7 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 15.2 percent (compared with 15.4 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 5.0 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 6.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.2 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 6.7 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 5.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.1 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Barnstable increased from \$3,831,536\* in 1999 to \$3,925,892\* in 2000, an increase of 2.5 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 11.8 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$2,206,943\* to the 2000 estimate was 5.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.1 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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